

It is remembered, that on the tenth day of February, in the forty first year of the Independence of the United States of America, William Cranch, of the said district, has deposited in this office the title of a book, the right whereof he claims as author in the following words to wit:—

“Reports of Cases argued & adjudged in the Supreme Court of the United States, in February term eighteen hundred and fifteen, Vol. IX. by William Cranch, Chief Judge of the Circuit Court of the District of Columbia—Potius ignorantia juris litigiosa est, quam scientia.”

“Cic. de legibus dial. 1”
In conformity to the act of the Congress of the United States, intitled “An act for the encouragement of learning, by securing the copies of maps, charts and books to the authors and proprietors of such copies during the times therein mentioned.”

G. DENEALE,
Clerk of the District of Columbia.
March 12

Piano For sale.
The subscriber has just received an elegant upright cabinet Piano Forte, on a new construction, of very superior tone, and warranted to stand well in tune—has additional keys and two pedals, one to raise the dampers, the other removes the finger board, so that the hammer strike but one string, by which means it may be made as Piano as necessary.

ON HAND,
four square Pianos, with additional keys, some of them pronounced by judges to be of excellent quality.

R. GRAY.
March 28

Mechanics' Bank, Alexandria,
March 4, 1817.

THE Stockholders of this institution are hereby notified, that a dividend of five per cent. on the capital stock paid in, is this day declared, payable to them or their legal representatives, on Friday the 14th instant.

By order of the President and Directors.
Wm. Paton, jun. Cashier.
March 5

Joseph Spear,
Respectfully informs his friends and customers that he has removed from his old stand to King street, between Patrick and Alfred streets, opposite to Mr. Isaac Gibson's; where he has on hand a quantity of

Cabinet Furniture
Of the newest fashions, and made by the best workmen, which he will sell very low. He is thankful for past favors, and solicits a continuance of the public patronage.
April 2

PAUL'S
Patent Columbian Oil.
In respect to which the Proprietor observes—

“THE great sales of the Columbian Oil, since it has been brought before the public, prove its intrinsic value, and is a pleasing foreboding of what we have to expect from its more extensive circulation.”

Many interesting certificates might be furnished, testifying to the great value of the Columbian Oil, but we have preferred giving but few, wishing to rest more on the merits of the medicine, than on the effects produced by certificates from a source however respectable.

The following are among the complaints in which the Columbian Oil has been found very efficacious, viz: rheumatism, consumption, gout, pains in any part of the body, but more particularly of the back and breast; asthma, phthisis, influenza, colds, coughs, whooping coughs, diseases of the eye and eye lids, toothache, ear ache, and deafness, cramps, external and internal bruises, sprains and flesh wounds, old sores, ulcers, felons, scalds, burns, mumps, dysentery or flux, croop, quincy, diarrhea or lax, summer complaint of children, indigestion, loss of appetite, nervous debility, piles, mercurial diseases, especially in those cases where the system has been charged with mercury for some considerable time, and in those excruciating pains subsequent to its too great use and exposure. Herpes, or diseases of the skin, such as ring worms, tetters, scald head, &c. stiffness of joints and limbs, palsy, ague and fever, cholera morbus, gravel, gleet, obstructed urine, scurvy, and in almost all cases of a general or local nature.

We are aware that in recommending a medicine in so many diseases, the public, especially those who have not used the Oil, may be induced to question its virtues, but a disposition of this nature will soon be dissipated, when they are informed that a great proportion of the diseases are owing to the same general cause. And in those cases where the diseases differ materially in their nature, the effects produced are nearly the same, although not on the same principles.

A supply of the above just received and for sale by RICHARD H. LITTLE, Druggist, King street.

ON HAND,
Best Spanish Segars, and prime chewing Tobacco.
February 11

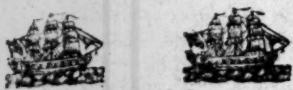
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New Line of Packets

Between Georgetown & Alexandria.

THE Subscriber conceiving a line of Packets plying between this place and Alexandria, would be an accommodation to the citizens of both places, as he has procured two good and fast sailing boats for that purpose, which have commenced running, leaving this place and Alexandria every day. The object of this line of packets is to obtain freight, so passengers will always be carried gratis. Articles of every description entrusted to his care, will be stored free of charge. Persons who may confide their business to him may depend upon a prompt and speedy attention to their concerns. Being well known in both towns, he flatters himself that he will receive a liberal encouragement.

The boats will stop at A. Boon and Co's wharf, Georgetown, and at Mr. William Ramsay's wharf, Alexandria.

JOHN LANG.

Georgetown april 2 d2w

For Boston,
The superior schooner William, Capt. Mayo, will commence loading to-morrow and take 400 barrels on freight. Apply to
Lawson and Fowle.

Who have landing for sale,
50 boxes fresh Lemons.
March 31

For Sale or Freight,
The brig Levant, William Malcolm, master; burthen 300 tons, carries about 1500 barrels, sails fast, is well found, and will be ready for the reception of a cargo in five days.
Apply to
Lawson and Fowle.

Who have for sale said brig's Cargo of
170 tons Plaster Paris
13 hogheads } N. England Rum
19 barrels }
3,000 feet two inch plank.
April 2

For Freight,
The brig Commerce, John Wade, master, carries one thousand six hundred barrels, a substantial vessel, in good order and will be ready to receive a cargo in a few days. Apply to
Lawson and Fowle.

Who have received per said brig from Newburyport and for sale,
50 barrels New England rum
3 cases hats

FOR LIVERPOOL
The ship Hazard, William Crabtree master, is now loading and will sail by the fourth of April and can accommodate a few passengers.
Apply to the master on board
or
Lawson & Fowle.

FOR CADIZ,
The brig Panopea, Eleazer Crabtree master, is now loading and will take some light freight, or passengers for which. Apply as above
March 19

For New-York,
The new and superior schr Planet, R. Rackliff, master; will be ready in a few days to receive a cargo and will take freight low. Apply to
Lawson & Fowle.

Who have for sale, said schooner's Cargo, of
2,500 bushels coarse Salt, suitable for packing fish
200 fish barrels
13,000 feet clear boards.
April 1

For Boston,
The packet brig Economy, Jonathan Farrow jun. master; will sail in a few days. For passage, having good accommodations, apply to
JOHN G. LADD & Co.

April 4

FOR FREIGHT,
Ship Maria, burthen 3500 barrels, is a well built substantial vessel, in complete order for the immediate reception of a cargo.

ALSO,
Ship Wilhelmina, burthen 4000 barrels; is in prime order and can be ready to receive a cargo in a few days.

Apply to
Lawson and Fowle.
March 25

FOR FREIGHT,
The brig Nimrod, Captain Prince, will be ready to receive a cargo in two days, and take freight for either of the above places. Apply to
LAWSON & FOWLE.

Who have for sale, said brig's cargo, of 130 tons Plaster Paris.
April 4

For Freight, (Coastwise)
To the W. Indies or South of Europe,
The substantial and fast sailing schooner Sophronia, K. Perry, master; she carries about 900 barrels, is nearly new and will be ready for the reception of a cargo in three days.

ALSO,
The new and fast sailing schooner ANDES, Bourne, master; she carries about one thousand barrels, and will be ready to receive a cargo in a few days.
Apply to
Thomas H. Howland,

Who has received for sale, by the above vessels,
2000 bushels St. Ubes Salt
75 tons Plaster of Paris—and
1 trunk containing Linen cambric handkerchiefs
4 mo 9 6t

For Boston & Newburyport,
The brig Fame, W. Davis, jun. master; will be ready to receive a cargo in a few days and take five hundred barrels on freight. Apply to
Lawson & Fowle.

Who have for sale, said brig's Cargo, consisting of
120 tons Plaster Paris
50 barrels New England Rum
450 Fish Barrels
1000 bushels Potatoes.
April 8

For Sale, or Freight
[COASTWISE]
The substantial sloop Atalanta, S. Hammond, master; burthen about 50 tons or 450 barrels. She is about 5 years old and well found. Apply to
Thomas H. Howland.

4 mo 8 6t

FOR NEW-YORK,
The sloop Mechanic, Edward Nye, master; she carries about 500 barrels and is now ready for the reception of a cargo. Apply to
T. H. Howland,

Who has for Sale,
Russia hemp, Swedish bar iron, sperm-cet oil, and few hundred reams of wrapping and writing paper.
4 mo 8 6t

Lawson & Fowle
Have received per the schooner Native, Capt. Mayhew, from Boston, and for sale,
62 tons plaster Paris
150 bls N. E. Rum
50 bags Havana green coffee
50 do Sumatra pepper
700 reams wrapping paper
2 bales Barbours garrals
3 checks
2 Sooty roma,
4 bales of hops.

For Boston,
The packet schooner Native,
N. Mayhew, master, will sail in six days. For passage, having superior accommodations, apply as above.
March 25

FOR FREIGHT,
The schooner William Mayo master, carries about 1100 bls. is a superior vessel, in complete order, will take freight for Europe, the West Indies or coastwise.
Apply to
Lawson & Fowle.

March 29

For Boston & Portland,
The superior brig Milo,
Wm. Salter, master, will commence loading on Monday. For freight apply to the master on board at Central wharf or to
Lawson & Fowle.

Who have for sale, received by said brig,
25 hogheads N. E. rum
200 boxes mould candles
100 do brown soap
10 barrels tanner's oil
5 boxes white Havanna sugars
20000 feet plank
60 tons plaster Paris
April 5

FOR BOSTON AND PORTLAND
The brig Nimrod, Captain Prince, will be ready to receive a cargo in two days, and take freight for either of the above places. Apply to
LAWSON & FOWLE.

Who have for sale, said brig's cargo, of 130 tons Plaster Paris.
April 4

Salt for Sale,
On board the schooner George Washington.
1500 bushels Turk's Island Salt, for sale on board the schr. George Washington. Apply to
JOHN MCCOBB.

The PACKET
Geo. Washington,
Will sail for Norfolk on Friday next. For freight or passage apply to the master on board as above.
April 8 4t

N England Rum, Sugar, etc.
This day landing from schooner Native, from Boston—
80 barrels N. E. Rum
Hhds and bls Muscovado Sugar.

IN STORE,
50 barrels tanners' oil
45 boxes dipt candles
50 cask cut nails, assorted sizes
50 casks Thomastown lime
Boston no. 1 beef—brown soap
Keg raisins
Soal leather—bags pepper
Mens' coarse shoes, etc.

For sale by
Dunbar & Townsend.
March 25

Furrs & Peltries
On the 15th April, ensuing, at eleven o'clock A. M. will be offered at Public Auction, at the store house of the superintendent of Indian trade, in Georgetown D. C. A parcel of Furrs & Peltries, received from the United States trading houses; principally from the upper Mississippi, and the Missouri; among them are,
13000 shaved deer skins
250 bear do
190 coo do
2700 muskrats
140 otter do
360 raccoon do
640 beaver do

And some cat and fox skins
Approved notes at ninety days, will be received for all sums above one hundred dollars.

THOMAS L. M'KENNEY,
Superintendent of Indian trade.
March 10 dts

The Subscriber offers for Sale,
At his Warehouse, Tucker's wharf, 3,000 bushels Turks Island salt
Antigua rum in hogheads and barrels
Whiskey in ditto
New England rum in ditto
Madeira wine in pipes, half pipes and quarter casks
Sherry in ditto
Chewing tobacco in kegs—small twist
Nails in kegs assorted
Candles in boxes
English white lead ground in oil
Milled sheet lead
2 boxes servant's glossed hats made of fur
10 bales English sacking
2 ditto do canvass, No. 3 to 6.
All of which will be sold low by
James Sanderson.
March 25

Hardware & Cutlery.
The subscriber has a few casks Hardware and Cutlery, which he will sell very low for cash or on a short credit.
HE HAS ALSO,
A handsome assortment of
Good, opened,
With a general assortment of
FANCY GOODS.

Country merchants and others will find it to their interest to call and see the Goods.
John Johnston,
King street, opposite the Washington Tavern, Alexandria.
March 4

Bryan Hampson and Co.
Offer for sale,
5 puncheons old Jamaica
30 do fine flavored 3rd & 4th proof Antigua
40 barrels NE Rum
60 barrels prime green
100 bags white
20 bags pepper
5000 bushels Liverpool fine and ground allum salt
500 sacks fine salt
With a general assortment of Groceries, and the best flour for family use.
March 26

LINDSAY AND HILL
OFFER FOR SALE,
2000 bushels Albany seed Oats
15000 do salt for packing and striking fish
100 bags Havana green coffee
20 hds West India rum
13 bales cotton
6 hds. 4 bls. and 10 boxes sugar
10 do whiskey
120 tons plaster
50 do logwood
March 31

Notice to Grocers.
The old establishment of John May, deceased, Tobacconist, situate 3 doors below Marsteller's auction room and opposite Matthias Snyder's paint and oil store, on Prince street, is now revived and carried on more extensively in all its branches than it ever before has been done—under the firm of
Jonathan C. May and Co.

Customers are invited to apply, where they may be furnished with the following articles at wholesale and retail, on the best terms for cash—
VIZ.

Prime cavendish
Ditto small twist from 8 to 10 per lb
Second quality do
Pigtail in rolls
Best Spanish segars warranted
Half Spanish do
American segars
Smoking tobacco in papers
Maccoboy snuff
Rappee and Scotch, in bottles and bladders.
N. B. Several thousand weight of tobacco stems for sale.
March 26

John G. Ladd & Co.
Have received and offer for Sale,
300 casks Thomastown lime
200 casks Rhode Island do
200 tons plaster Paris
1000 bushels Cadiz salt
1 bale English seine twine
1 pipe Lisbon wine
9 kegs manufactured tobacco
3 tierces furs
April 1

JOHN G. LADD & CO.
Have received per brig Economy from Boston,
And offer for sale,
128 tons plaster paris
6 hds. and } muscovado sugar
30 barrels }
1 pipe Lisbon Wine
20 barrels apples
2 cases straw bonnets and hats of various patterns
IN STORE,
75 tons wedes iron
25 tons Russia old sable iron
100 pieces Russia sheetings
140 Ravens duck
25 Russia duck
16 bales India goods, consisting of
Beerboom Gurrahs
Movi sanahs
Comercolly, chittabilyand luckipore batias
Juzengir mammoodies
Madras Handkerchiefs
Blue Gillas
Mock pullicat
1 bale German dowlas
20 pieces sattinets
1500 yards tow cloth
50 cases mens' fine and coarse hats
10 cases and barrels mens and boys fine and coarse shoes
1000 sides prime NE soal leather
120 reams writing paper
Wrapping and sheating paper
1 keg Faxons' axes
30 casks cut nails
12000 bls cordage assorted sizes
80 boxes long and short pipes
8 dining setts Canton china of 35 pieces each
6 hds and 8 crates blue printed and common Liverpool Ware
10 boxes 9 by 11 London crown glass
500 bushels Liverpool blown salt
40 sacks do do
400 boxes mould and dipped candles
50 barrels tanners oil
100 boxes Florence oil
80 boxes double refined brimstone
Boxes Spanish chocolate
100 boxes No. 1 and 3 chocolate
10 barrels mackarel
5 barrels gross herrings
20 kegs pickled salmon
95 quarter casks sherry wine
4 pipes Madeira do
16 pipes Catalonia do
5 pipes Teneriffe do
2 pipes Lisbon do
40 kegs sweet Malaga do
20 do dry Malaga do
20 demijohns Madeira do
Boxes Spanish chocolate
32000 lbs prime St. Domingo coffee
14 boxes hyson and 10 boxes young hyson tea
20 barrels muscovado sugar
25 cases white & brown Brazil sugar
2 hogheads molasses
50 barrels NE rum
700 lbs cassia
15 kegs ginger
15 kegs raisins
30 half boxes Spanish segars
110 barrels No 1 beef
Mahogany furniture, consisting of bureaux, wash and candle stands
An assortment of Hingham ware, consisting of nests boxes, nests measures, barrel covers, buckets, etc.
Mast hoops and bunks
10 tons fustic,
April 4

Just received,
And for sale by the subscriber,
25 kegs tobacco, superior quality
50 bags coffee
1 hhd and 8 bls prime Muscovad sugars.
Wm M. Chick
March 10

Potomac and Shenandoah Navigation Lottery.
THE drawing of the Lottery will be recommended on Monday the third of February next.

Tickets to be had of Joseph Brewer, at the Commissioner's Office in Georgetown, and of Jonah Thompson, Agent of said Lottery, in Alexandria.

Ele Williams, Pres't.
December 27

Wanted Immediately,
At the Marble Quarry, on the Potomac, Montgomery county, Maryland, one hundred strong, healthy, laboring men, to whom liberal wages will be given: and for strong, healthy, negro men ninety dollars from the 1st of April until the 1st of January next, or in proportion for such time as they shall remain at the Quarry.
By order of the President of the United States,
Samuel Lane, Com'r.
of the P. B. U. States.

Apply to
John Nelson, Esq. Fredricks town, Md.
John Littlejohn, Esq. Leesburg, Va.
Joshua Shelton, Esq. near Conrad's Ferry.

Major Noland, at Aldie } Loudoun cy.
Samuel Chapman, Esq. } Virginia.
John Hartnett, at the Quarry,
The printers of this paper,
National Intelligencer, or
To the Commissioner of the Public Buildings of the U. States, at Washington,
April 3 d5w

SALT,
Suitable for the Fisheries.
1500 bushels best Turks Island Salt
1000 do St. Ubes do do
1000 ground allum do
200 sacks Liverpool filled
Blown do do
50 barrels crab cider
Which will be sold low by
Mordcau Miller.
WHO WILL SELL
100 casks Baltimore Lime, at Two Dollars per cask.
March 29 eo2w

Twenty Dollars Reward.
Ran away from the subscriber living near Fairfax court house, on the 15th of January, a negro man named JESS—he is about 23 years of age, about 5 feet 11 inches high, dark complexion. He had on when he went away a dark cloth coat, domestic cloth pantaloons and various other clothing. I will give the above reward if he be taken 25 miles or upwards from home and secured so that I get him again; and, if nearer, ten dollars.
Susannah Powell.
Fairfax County, Virginia,
March 6—19 eott

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THURSDAY, APRIL 10.

A CARD.

LIONEL J. LARKIN, has the pleasure of informing his scholars and the public generally, that his hours for musical tuition, will be every day from nine o'clock until twelve A. M. and from two until half past five, P. M. and from 7 until half past 9 on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday Evenings.

Ladies wishing to learn the double or single Flageolet, will be waited on at their residence.

For terms—inquire at Mr. R. Gray's Book store. March 19

Little River Turnpike Stock

WANTED;
For which cash will be paid at the
Fire Insurance Office.
February 13

A few Shares of Mechanics'

Bank Stock, for sale.
Apply to the Printer.
Jan 2

Fish Barrels for Sale.

One hundred and thirty Fish Barrels
or sale by
Camillus Griffith
April 2

Prime Pork.

JOHN G. LADD & Co.
Offer for sale, landing from the schooner
Henrietta—
50 barrels prime PORK.
April 4

Bolting Cloths.

The subscriber has just received by the
General Linas, Captain Weston, from
Amsterdam, a large and elegant assort-
ment of Bolting Cloths, of a superior qual-
ity, which will be offered for sale at the
store of Mr. James Anderson.
Amos Alexander.
October 6

Shad and Herrings.

JOHN G. LADD & CO.
Wish to contract to receive at the
Landing 25,000 Shad, and 120,000 Her-
ring; for which a fair price will be given,
April 7

Paper for Sale.

David and J. Ross
Have received, per ship Potomac, from
Genoa,
87 bales writing paper, assorted
Which they offer for sale on very low
terms. They keep a constant supply of
first quality chewing tobacco for sale by
the quantity.
Dec 17

Merchants Bank Paper.

I will receive a few hundred dollars of
Merchants Bank Paper in payment for
dry goods, at 50 cents to the dollar.
Jonathan Scholfield.
February 7

Albany Oats.

A few hundred bushels of Oats worthy
the attention of farmers, can be had by
applying to the subscriber, lower end of
Duke street.
Wm. H. Brown.
March 10

For Sale.

A few casks Messrs Murdoch, Youille,
Widdrop and Co's London Particular
Madeira—Quality, fine
W HODGSON
Jan 31

LOST.

A Check drawn by C. Smith, Cash-
ier of the Mechanic's Bank of Baltimore in
favor of John Cox, and by him endorsed
dated 21st January, for 28,000 dollars,
written on a quarter sheet of letter paper,
the finder is requested to return it to
either of the parties, or to the Bank of Co-
lumbia.
March 1

JUST RECEIVED,

per sloop Mechanic, captain Nye, from
New-Bedford,
19 barrels and tierces of Pernaceti Oil
In Store.
A few boxes of spermaceti Candles, of
superior quality
Also,
250 tons Swedish Bar Iron, assorted, and
15 tons Swedish Steel
For sale by
PHINEAS JANNEY.
April 5

Fresh Ties,

LAWSON AND FOWLE
Have now landing, from the brig E.
coney, captain Farrow, from Boston,
and for sale
15 chests fresh young Hyson
50 bags Batavia sugar
4 Hogheads Muscovado do
16 boxes fresh Turkey Figs
186 Reams wrapping paper
4 bales Barbours & Cattawagurrahs
1 case Indigo
April 4

From the London Courier of Janu-
ry 2.

By the Governor Macquarrie are
arrived capt. Fowler, and part of the
crew of the Indian brig Matilda,
which sailed from this colony in Aug.
1813, bound on a voyage to the Der-
went and Eastern Islands, and from
thence to China; but was cut off and
plundered on the night of the tenth of
April last, while lying at anchor in
Duff's Bay, at the Island of Roopa-
poah, one of the Marquesas, on a
sandal-wood voyage. Five of the
crew, Poomootoo men, had previous-
ly deserted, and joining with some of
the Roopaopah natives, took the op-
portunity of a dark night, and the
wind blowing fresh right on the land,
to cut the vessel adrift, by which
means she drove ashore through a
heavy surf, and was soon bilged and
filled with water. When the cannibal
natives saw that it was imprac-
ticable to get the vessel afloat, they
concentrated universally in the design
in putting the whole of her crew to
death; which appears to have been a
constant practice among the differ-
ent natives towards one another
when their canoes happen to fall on a
strange shore, through stress of wea-
ther or from any other accident.

Capt. Fowler had formed an inti-
macy with their chief, or king, Noo-
ahetu, who presided at the tribunal
that had devoted the unfortunate ma-
riners to instant slaughter. He with-
held his assent to the murder; but
had no hesitation in permitting the
plunder of the vessel. The crew
were informed by such expressions as
they could understand, as well as by
gesticulations that accompanied their
vehement debate on the occasion,
that their lives were dependent on
the issue; the good chief was op-
posed by many other chiefs; who,
though somewhat inferior in rank,
were very superior in numbers sup-
ported by the common usages of the
island, from which the exhibition of
clemency appeared an insufferable
deviation. He was seated, with his
son by his side, on a mat in his own
dwelling: he had been called to the
supremacy of the island by the gen-
eral wish of the people, as it was not
an hereditary right, but an elective
dignity. His people pressed their
solicitations earnestly, and at length
peremptorily demanded his assent to
the sacrifice; which he for a length
of time opposed by the force of words,
which not seeming likely to prevail,
he adopted a method which silenced
the whole in an instant, and saved the
lives of capt. Fowler and his crew.

Finding that all his expostulations
were defeated upon the principle of
undeviating custom, he deliberately
took up two ropes that were near
him, and fixing one around the neck
of his son, and the other around his
own, called to the chief next in com-
mand, who immediately approached
him. His conference was short and
decisive; he first pointed to the cord
that encircled the neck of his son,
and then to the other, which he had
entwined round his own. "These
strangers are doomed to death," said
he, "by my chiefs and my people,
and it is not fit that I, who am their
king, should live to see so vile a deed
perpetrated. Let my child and my-
self be strangled before it is perform-
ed; and then it never will be said
that we sanctioned even with our eye-
sight, the destruction of these unof-
fending people."

The magnanimity of such conduct
could not do less than produce, even
in the mind of the unenlightened
savage, a paroxysm of surprise mingled
with a sentiment of admiration, in
which the untainted man may possi-
bly excel his fellow creature, whose
conceptions are moulded by tenets cal-
culated to guard him from the ex-
tremes of passion. For a moment
the people looked wildly upon their
king, whose person they adored, be-
cause his principles were good, and
his government just and mild. They
saw the obedient chief, to whom the
order of strangulation had been im-
parted, staring with horror and a-
mazement at the change which a few
moments had produced; the man-
date, which had proceeded from the
king's own lips must be obeyed; and
commanded to perform the dreadful
office, he proceeded to obey, when a
sudden shout from the multitude awed
him to forbearance. "The king!
the king!" from every lip burst forth:
"What! kill the king! No, no, let
the strangers live—no man shall kill
the king!" Thus were their lives pre-
served, and the vessel plundered of
every thing on board her.

The floor of the Greenwich, which
was burnt at Nooaheva, still remains,
and is dry at low water. All her iron
and copper have been taken out
by the natives, who have a thorough
knowledge of the use of these ma-
terials. That they are cannibals is

well ascertained. They form dis-
tinct factions, and make war upon the
ruling chief; the rebels are denomi-
nated the Typees; and the opposite
parties are horribly sanguinary to-
wards each. Six of the adverse party
were killed and devoured by the
rebels while captain Fowler was a-
mong them, and the following detes-
tible circumstance occurred on the oc-
casion: A native belonging to Port
Anna Maria, who was not tattooed,
and in consequence prohibited from
the eating of human flesh, on pain of
death, impatient of the restraint, fell
upon one of the murdered bodies, and
daring his teeth into it in all the mad-
ness of voracious fury, exhaled the
crimson moisture, which had not yet
coagulated.

The chief of Port Anna Maria
who is very friendly to Europeans,
is named Keatta-noone, the first
part of the name implying the out-
rigger of a canoe, and the latter sig-
nifying great. The dress of the men
consists merely of a wrapper about
the waist; the women are covered
from the shoulders downwards to the
ankles, and are generally fairer than
the Tahitian women. The chiefs
have no distinguished mark or orna-
ment, but in the mode of wearing
their hair; which the common or-
dinary wear tied up in a large knot on
each side of the head, a stripe of
which, extending from the forehead
to the hollow of the neck, is kept
short, which practice the chiefs do not
adopt. Captain Fowler supposes the
worms to be more prevalent and de-
structive to ship bottoms there than
he has any where witnessed; and to
this cause attributes the caution of
the natives in drawing up their large-
est canoes, some of which contain
from 80 to 100 warriors. They are
anxious after every kind of property
carried among them for barter, and
this is supposed their chief inducement
for attacking vessels, when they
can do so with a probability of
accomplishing their object. They
have no knowledge of the use of mus-
kets, and have none among them ex-
cept a few at Port Anna Maria. A
gentleman, at this time in Sidney,
who resided among them about 15
years ago, in a missionary capacity,
describes them as a people constantly
employing their thoughts on plun-
der, and devising schemes for taking
advantage of strangers. Their popu-
lation is very numerous; which he
remarked to some of them, to
whom he gave a description of Ota-
heite; observing, at the same time,
that its inhabitants were less nume-
rous; "Cannot we go and take them?
What is to hinder us?" was immedi-
ately demanded. This anecdote we
notice as a specimen of their natural
inclination to hostility, in which all
accounts respecting them correspond.

[From a New Jersey Paper.]

The newspapers of the country
ought rather to strive to calm the pub-
lic mind than to inflame it.—The peo-
ple of every country are but too ready
to take fire, and to render evil for
evil. A thousand cruelties and viola-
tions of right, may occur between in-
dividuals of the same country, and
pass off without exciting any public
sensations; but does a quarrel occur
or any ill usage take place between
two or a few persons of different na-
tions, to which they belong, the people
are roused by thoughtless or wicked
men, into the highest state of resent-
ment. No time is allowed for con-
sideration, or to ascertain upon which
side was the right or wrong in the mat-
ter: The mind inflamed there is little
chance for reason to operate; and
those who are interested in promoting
conflicts and wars, aided by folly and
violence, under the name of national
honour and patriotism, too frequently
succeeded in bringing nations, thus
circumstanced, into a state of savage
hostility with each other.

When such occurrences take place
as the one alluded to; let us, instead
of flying into a passion take time to
consider and inquire. Let us call to
mind the numerous murders, viola-
tions of right trespasses & wrongs,
which so often take place in different
parts of our country, between our own
citizens, and let us consider, that if
we are bad enough to treat each other
thus, possibly some of our country-
men may be bad enough to treat the
people on other nations as badly.

Such reflections, if indulged in a
reasonable way, would often tend to
make us more charitable in our con-
troversies with other nations, and
perhaps be the means of preventing
many wars—of saving thousands and
tens of thousands of lives, & prevent-
ing a vast amount of distress and mis-
ery.

PENNSYLVANIA POLITICS.

For the edification of those who
wish to learn by what principles

some of the patriots of our country
are governed, we publish the following
candid letter, from Dr. Sutherland of
Philadelphia to one of his "brethren
of the same principle." The publica-
tion of it is one of those unlucky dis-
closures which has taken place from
the division of the democratic party
in that state. Dr. Sutherland has
held a conspicuous station among the
democrats of the county of Philadel-
phia, and has been several times elect-
ed by his party to a seat in the Le-
gislation, where he made a conspicuous
figure and obtained the confidence of
Gov. Snyder. At the same time of
writing the letter, he enjoyed from
the appointment of Gov. Snyder, a lu-
crative and important office. Finally
has been, since the date of this letter,
nominated by the Binns party, candi-
date for Governor.

Bost. D. Adv.
LAZARETTO, June 27th, 1816.

Dear M.—When I received your
letter last night, I immediately took
a chair to my front door and com-
menced reading it—I was much pleas-
ed with your notions of buying out
Peacock, but the difficulties that will
have to be encountered, before the mo-
ney could be produced, will not be of
a trivial nature. I may perhaps make
the arrangement with Boileau, in re-
lation to the adjutant Generalship, but
whether he would be willing to endorse
a note, to raise the wind is another
question.—I am told he is avaricious.
However, on this point I would just
say, that for the present nothing can
be effected in relation to your scheme
till Mr. Boileau returns from the
State of New York, which will be in
about 4 or 5 weeks. The truth is,
M'Coy, Boileau is but a Child in Po-
litics, he is not half enough acquainted
with the underhand work, that marks
the bold and discerning Politician. I
will tell you who I think would em-
brace this scheme much sooner than
Boileau. I mean Wm. Findley. He
is so full of schemes and notions that
he is literally running over with them.
But there we cannot well go.—We
have unfurled the flag of discontent,
and it would look cowardly, to furl it
up again, unless it should be thought
better to surrender at discretion.

While I write this about Findley do
not suppose that I doubt Boileau—No,
I am far from doubting this man's
honesty, but, I frankly confess I doubt
his policy. When I see him I will read
his heart. Findley at this time stands
the best chance of any man I know, if
a few of us would become recruiting
sergeants in his cause. Moreover he
will be hostile to Binns. You may
think me a damned strange creature
to be vacillating between Boileau &
Findley—but as you and I and all
politicians, are all men of principle in
proportion to our interest, I have
written to you undisguisedly upon this
matter. If you have time to come
down with Hart in his stage some af-
ternoon, and have a long talk with
me, you and I will understand each
other more fully I want to talk to you
about our joining with Dr. L. I wish
to know if the Democrats might not
in this way carry in the City. I know
they would. I wish you should go on
the city ticket; at your leisure you
could then make arrangements with
Peacock, we would then be on the spot
to join the man most likely to suc-
ceed.

I would like to see you before I see
Dr. Leib. I know I shall see him
before the Election—I see there is no
chance for my success in the N. Li-
berties except it be through the as-
sistance of old schoolism—Bussier, if
he is rejected will quit the party, but
by that time the opposition, will have
selected their Candidates. We ought
to watch them well now and be pre-
pared for the worst. Remember me
to all your family. Tell my dear pa-
rents that we are all well.

Your Friend,
S. B. SUTHERLAND.
Joseph M'Coy, Esq.
New Market, Philadelphia.

LEARNING.

Learning is the life of reason and
the light of nature, where time, or-
ders and measure, square out the true
course of knowledge; where discre-
tion in the temper of passion, bring-
experience to the best fruit of affec-
tion; while both the theory and the
practic labour in the life of judg-
ment, till the perfection of art show
the honor of understanding. She is
the key of knowledge that unlocks
the cabinet of conceit, wherein are
laid up the labors of virtue, for the
use of the scholars of wisdom: where
every gracious spirit may find matter
enough worthy of the record of the
best memory. She is the school-
mistress of wit, and the gentle go-
vernor of will, when the delight of
understanding gives the comfort of
study. She is unpleasant to none

that know her, and unapproachable to
none that love her. She opens her
treasures to the travellers in virtue,
but keeps them close from the eyes
of idleness. She gives honor to vir-
tue, grace to honor, reward to labor,
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senger of wisdom to the minds of the
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and ever will be, the darling of wis-
dom, the delight of wit, the study of
virtue, and the stay of knowledge.

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of time and the trier of truth.
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paradise of reason. She is the enemy
of idleness and the maintainer of
labor. She declares errors and can-
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verseth with the best capacities, and
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ALEXANDRIA: THURSDAY, APRIL 10, 1817.

PRINCE-WILLIAM ELECTION.

We feel ourselves authorized to state, on the most unquestionable authority, that Gen. MASON's majority over Mr. MERCER, in Prince-William, was only 124; instead of 128, as stated in the Herald yesterday. The votes were:

For Mason,	201
Mercer,	77

Majority, 124

This majority is precisely the same that Gen. Mason had over Mr. Lewis at the last election: 258 we believe to have been the smallest federal majority ever obtained in Loudoun, and 61 the largest democratic majority in Fairfax; so that should these two counties remain unchanged, Mr. Mercer's majority will be 73. But from information received, we are inclined to believe that the majority in Loudoun will be very little short of 500, while that in Fairfax will most probably be reduced to 50; leaving Mr. Mercer a majority, in the whole district, of 146.

In Prince-William: JOHN LINTON and PHILIP HARRISON were elected members of the House of Delegates.

We recommend to the attentive consideration of every man, woman and child, in the community, a most eloquent and unanswerable address to the freeholders of Fairfax, signed "Old-fielder," and published in the Herald of the 9th instant.

WINCHESTER, April 5.

THE ELECTION.

The election of a member to represent this district, in the 15th Congress of the United States; also two members of the State Legislature, commenced on Monday last, and, on account of the impracticability of crossing the river Shenandoah, was continued open three days.—For the congressional seat two gentlemen were pitted—General Tucker and Col. William Carson of the Executive Council.

The following was the result:	
For General Tucker	719
Colonel Carson	51

Majority 688

With this majority General Tucker goes to Shenandoah; his election may be set down as certain.

For the State Legislature—

Archibald McGill, Esq.	631
Col. Joseph Sexton	410
Capt. Jared Williams	599

"NOBILITY HOLE."

The National Intelligencer contains a long article, from an "old correspondent," in which the following amendment to the Constitution of the United States is seriously and elaborately recommended:—

"To give to Ex-Presidents a seat for life in the Senate of the United States." [With a salary of five thousand dollars a year.]

Although the Editor of the *N. I.* ostensibly disapproves of the proposition, he nevertheless gives the article conspicuous insertion.

A letter from Salem, says—"The report in the New York papers (of Friday and Saturday last) obtained from a British packet, that there was another revolution in France, and that King Louis and family had escaped out of that country, excited considerable conversation here, and not a few would have believed it to be true had not the original reporter admitted to confirm another late report, viz. that Napoleon had escaped from St. Helena, upon the back of a Gull, &c. and was dropped at Paris, in precisely fifty nine minutes and fifty nine and a half seconds after he left the island! Perhaps, however, the packet was spoken with during a gale; and this may account for the imperfect manner in which the news was obtained.

Important Judicial Decision.—At the late superior court of law of Johnston county, one John S. Tarr, was offered as a witness & objected to, upon the ground of *a defect of religious principle.* Witnesses were called who deposed that on divers occasions Tarr had declared, that he did not believe, there was either an Heaven or a Hell! nor any future rewards or punishments! It was contended on the other side that Tarr should be sworn to declare whether he believed in a God, and in a future state of rewards and punishments.

The judge (C. I. Taylor) said, that on the one hand it would be incongruous to permit a man to be sworn, where the very question was, whether he was qualified to swear, & on the other, that he agreed with those who held that a man shall not be compelled to disclose opinions which go to disgrace & degrade him; he could not therefore permit a man to be exposed to such temptation to suppress the truth. Tarr was rejected as utterly incompetent to give evidence, and as a person to whose oath the law gives no credit.

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New York, April 5.

For the information of merchants, we publish the following extract of a letter received by a house in this city, from the Comptroller of the Treasury, relative to the tonnage duties proper to be assessed on foreign vessels coming from ports with which American vessels are permitted to trade.

"If she arrived, as stated by you, from a foreign port or place to or with which the vessels of the United States are ordinarily permitted to go and trade, she is, agreeably to an act of congress, passed on the 14th January last, liable to fifty cents per ton for tonnage duties; and by an act of the 27th March, 1804, which is considered as being in force, to eight money of fifty cents per ton."

We understand also, that Mr. Gelston has received instructions from the treasury department, to refund the discriminating duties levied upon goods imported in British vessels which arrived at this port from the dominions of Great Britain with which vessels of the U. States are permitted to trade, between the 17th August and 22d December, 1815.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman near Carthage, West Tennessee to his friend in Richmond.

"Corn has risen to 5 dollars per barrel in our neighborhood, in consequence of such large quantities being shipped to Orleans—Bacon to \$12 50 per cwt." In a letter of the first of January, the price of Corn was mentioned to be \$1 50 per barrel—Bacon, \$4 50 per cwt."

Further accounts from various parts of this state represent the number of distressed people as greater than ever has been witnessed perhaps in this state.—The county of Hanover is divided, for instance, into four precincts, for the convenience of collecting and distributing relief among the really distressed inhabitants. We have heard from one of these precincts, in which an investigation has been made, that there are 90 persons who have no bread of their own to eat, and that there are many who have enough to last them only till June. In several counties great efforts are making to feed the hungry; and for this purpose, corn is contributed and deposited at some mill for distribution. It is not the bread stuffs alone, properly so called, that bear a high price; but every vegetable article that constitutes the food of the people. For instance, Irish potatoes, which have sold at 2 dollars per bushel; black-eyed peas, at 8 dolls. a bushel &c. &c.

When the Wheat harvest arrives, it will contribute to remove this pressure; but the wheat will be consumed in greater quantities perhaps than ever was known.

Rich. Com.

It is rumoured, says the Augusta Chronicle of the 29th ult. that the Governor of Pensacola has requested General GAINES, to take possession of that place, in order to secure it against the contemplated attack of the Patriots. It is certain that our brave General and the Den have had an interview; and there is little doubt but a solicitation of the kind has been made, and received, as it should; a prompt but respectful negative.

The paucity of Ferdinand's resources, and his inability to protect his colonies, appear to be daily manifesting themselves—while the patriots, slowly but surely advancing, are reconquering their discordant materials, increasing their numerical force, and giving a more bold and respectable tone to the character of the Revolution.

Boston, April 2.

We have received from our obliging correspondent, Halifax papers to the 22d ult.

The general Assembly continued in session. They have passed an act authorizing the Lieut. Governor to appoint a person for the purpose of procuring and importing into the province, rye, barley, Indian corn, flour and meal, not exceeding eight thousand pounds in value, to be distributed to the indigent settlers who may apply for it, at the discretion of the justices of the peace, the applicants paying costs and charges if they are able, and if not, giving their notes payable in six months. Losses by bad debts, if not exceeding 25 per cent. are to be borne by the province; all over that proportion by the county in which the loss arises.

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New-York, April 7.

The steam-boat Richmond arrived yesterday morning from Albany, the ice in the river having broken up on Thursday.

The Albany Daily Gazette of Thursday last, says, "The most of yesterday was spent in the House, in debate upon the canal bill. The opposition to the canal is more powerful than we anticipated. The discussion arose upon the ways and means provided by the bill. The principal ground of opposition, thus far, is, that the time has not yet arrived for commencing so great an undertaking—that the burdens upon the state are already sufficiently heavy, and in fact almost insupportable. The people, say they, cannot bear an additional taxation, and the project should either be abandoned, or commenced by degrees."

Fatal Duel. A letter from Gibraltar, February 15, mentions a duel between Midshipmen Sands and Wheaton, of the Washington, in which the latter was killed on the third fire. Sands, who gave the challenge, throwing away his preceeding fires, and endeavouring to compromise.

The Franklin, 74, it is said, is ordered from Philadelphia to Boston.

PHILADELPHIA, April 7.

Capt. Boyle, from Monte Video, left there on the 6th January, and informs that the markets were in a state of stagnation, both at Buenos Ayres and Monte Video, in consequence of the invasion by the Portuguese army and the blockade of Monte Video by a Portuguese squadron of one large frigate and seven smaller vessels; several vessels had been turned off, some of them Americans. The Sampson came out in the night and passed the squadron unseen.

The Collector of this port, on Friday last, received instructions relative to refunding certain discriminating duties on British vessels, agreeable to an act of Congress passed last session.

SHIP NEWS.

Port of Alexandria.

From the Exchange Coffee House Books, April 9.

No arrivals last night.

Vessel up for Alexandria.

Schr Hilar, J. Hand, jun. at Philadelphia 7th inst.

Sloop Good Hope, Delano, hence, arrived at Savannah 1st inst. 8 days.

Letter Bags at the Exchange Coffee House—Ship Hazard, Liverpool. Ship New Jersey, Gibraltar.

Port of New-York, April 5.

Arrived, brig Wrangler, Lovett, 60 days from Havre-de-Grace, and 43 from the land's end. Passengers, Messrs. Le Normand, Deboissiere, Michelin, Matai, Palanque, Ensfelder, and Simon. Left ships Comet, Center, for New-York in 8 days; Manchester Packet, Burke, for do Feb 20; brig Georgia, Smith, for do in 15 days; schr Gov Carver, for Boston in 10; brig Janus, Brown, do uncertain.—Sailed in comp's ship Rising Stars, Holdridge, for Charleston; brig's Catharine, Eldridge, do; Amelia, Barry, N. York. On Sunday, in lat. 39 40, long. 67 39, spoke brig Sailor Boy, from Philadelphia for Lisbon. [Capt Lovett sailed from Havre on the 1st of February, with a light wind from the eastward; but in a few hours the wind got round to W. and W. N. W. and blew a gale, which obliged him to put into Torbay; from whence he was obliged to depart on the 12th Feb. in a gale from the eastward, having parted one cable, and obliged to cut the other, and put to sea to prevent the vessel from being driven ashore. This gale lasted 5 hours, when it fell calm. The next day, the 13th, the wind having gradually got round from W. to N. W. he experienced another gale, and ever since, the winds have been unfavorable. This accounts for the non-arrival of the numerous vessels expected from Liverpool, &c.]

PORT OF CHARLESTON, April 5.

Arrived, schooner Martha, Keilim, Havana, 6 days. The Spanish schr. Clara, Gedenes, from this port, arrived a day or two before the Martha sailed. A brig belonging to Portsmouth, N. H. arrived at Havana from New Orleans, the day before Captain K. sailed, bringing information that the exportation of flour was prohibited by the municipal authorities of that city, in consequence of the prevailing scarcity of that article; there being only about 700 barrels in that mar.

ket. The *ad valorem* duty on rice at Havana had been repealed, and a new duty of 74 dollars per cask, (the cask calculated at 500 wt.) substituted.—**Markets at Havana.**—Rice, \$8 50; flour, 26 a 27; coffee, 11 50 a 12 50; muscovado sugar, 8 50; white do. 11; brown do. 7 a 8; molasses, 8 bits.

FOR SALE,

On reasonable Terms,

A NEGRO WOMAN, capable of making a good house servant. Enquire of the Printer.

April 10

TO RENT,

For one or a term of years, and immediate possession given—

MY WHARF & WAREHOUSE—being on the corner of Prince and Union streets, adjoining the fish market and the landing of the upper ferry, renders it a good place for a store. The house is large, & will hold in two rooms twenty thousand bushels of salt or grain.

William Hepburn.

April 10

FRESH GOODS.

REAL India book & mull-mull muslins of delicate fineness
British book and mull-mull ditto
Black Canton crapes, superior quality
Black and handsome plaid Canton sarsonnets
Fine 9-8 Irish linens, of excellent fabric
Linen cambric and long lawn
Cotton cambrics, cambric muslins
Common fancy muslins, kid gloves
Ginghams and calicoes, fine white jean
Marseilles and other vestings, nankeens
Ladies' and gentlemen's silk and cotton hose
Gentlemen's silk and cotton half hose
Cotton floss, extra super, super, black and blue London cloths and cassimeres.

Together with a variety of other articles adapted to the demands of the season.

Constantly on hand, an assortment of **Writing & Printing Paper.**

And, expected in a few days, a further supply of fashionable **STRAW BONNETS**, direct from the manufacturers.

S. B. GODDARD,
Few doors east Washington Tavern

April 10

Oats and Rye Flour.

JOHN G. LADD AND CO.

OFFER FOR SALE,
THE CARGO of sloop Traveller, from New York, consisting of 3600 bushels Albany Seed Oats 77 barrels (new) Rye Flour.

For New-York,

The sloop TRAVELLER, J. Beaton, master; burthen 600 barrels, will be ready to receive a cargo in a few days. For freight or passage apply as above.

April 10

For Sale,

The schooner FIRST ATTEMPT, burthen 70 70-95ths tons, 18 months old, built of good materials, well rigged, and is a fast sailer. Apply to the master on board, at Coleman's wharf. If not sold before Saturday next, she will then be sold at Public Auction at 1 o'clock, at the above place.

April 10

ARABARB.

The noted Arabian Horse; IMPORTED from Algiers by the late Consul General, will arrive about the middle of May at Havre de Grace, and will stand near the ferry the remainder of the season, at the very reduced price of Twenty five Dollars a Mare.

This noble animal is of a glossy jet black, seventeen hands and an inch high, and is pronounced, by all judges who have seen him, to be perhaps the best horse ever brought into this country. He was obtained with much difficulty, by the present Dey of Algiers, (then Aga or General of the troops) from the Arabs about Mount Atlas. The Aga declared him to be the noblest and best blooded Arabian he had ever seen in the interior, and was proud to have him sent to this country as a specimen. Gentlemen who have frequently seen Arabian horses brought down to the coast of Barbary, pronounce Arabarb to be a genuine Arabian of the highest blood; and he corresponds exactly with every authentic description of these noble animals. A particular history of the horse, and of the manner he was obtained from the Arabs, may be seen at the stable. He stands the first part of the season at the City of Washington, where he stood last season at Fifty Dollars. The price is reduced at low this season, because it is probably the last he will stand in the Atlantic States, and it is desirable to retain as much of his blood as possible, while there is an opportunity. Insurance Forty Dollars, single leap Fifteen Dollars, and Groom Fifty Cents. A note must be sent with each Mare for \$30, payable on demand to B. L. LEAR, or order, which may be redeemed with 25 dollars, if paid within the season.

City of Washington,
April 5--10

SALES AT AUCTION.

By JOHN JACKSON & CO.

On SATURDAY, at 10 A. M. At the Auction Room, Union street, between King and Prince,

40 barrels NYork beef, without reserve
30 do tanners' oil
50 boxes Florence oil
20 half boxes real Spanish segars
20 demijohns Madeira wine
60 boxes long and short pipes
25 boxes young hyson tea
5 casks white wine vinegar
5 cases wool hats
2 do beaver do
2 do elegant French hats
2 do do silk do
2 do boots and shoes
1 do ladies' elegant silk shoes.
The above will be sold on a credit of 60 days, for approved paper.

20 boxes mould candles
5 do smoked salmon
Brandy, wine, sugar, cordage
Cotton cards, coffee
Manufactured tobacco, etc.

Immediately after,

1 case super brown linens
1 do super Irish shirting linens, 4-4
1 do super do downlass
1 do super mens' and womens' white cotton hose
1 do super black cambrics
1 do super white do 5 4, 4 4 and 6 4 wide
1 do super long lawns
1 do super cotton shirtings.
Silk shawls, elegant black & white lace
veils and shawls, silk & Madras hdkfs,
silk stockings, sewing silk, domestic
shirtings, super diapers, linen & cotton
handkerchiefs, cambric muslins, plaid
silks, vestings, etc. etc.

A quantity of miscellaneous BOOKS.
April 10

Vice Consulate of Spain.

Alexandria, 6th April, 1817.

THE undersigned having been appointed Vice Consul at interim, for the district of Columbia, hereby gives notice to the merchants, that the necessary consular documents for vessels bound to the Spanish dominions, will be granted on application being made at his Office in Washington, near the general post-office. Enquire at the office of the British Consulate, adjoining the custom house in Alexandria.

Francisco Martiniz Pizarro.

April 7

20 Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY from the subscriber, living near Middleburg, Loudoun County, Virginia, on the night of the 25th of March last, a very likely Negro Girl, named ANN; purchased of Wm. Noland, living at Aldie, Loudoun Co., whose family she was raised in. She is of a yellow complexion, round faced, and thick lips, and rather delicate featured for a slave; small feet, a tolerable ready speech, and mild with it; about 18 years of age, of tolerable size, and very well made; rather thick; about 5 feet high, from appearance.

She had on when she went away, a dress of coating cloth, made in a coat and jacket, with skirts of a brown stuff color. I will give Ten Dollars Reward if taken in Fauquier or Loudoun counties; if taken in any other county or state, and secured in any jail, so that I obtain information and get her, I will give Twenty Dollars, and all reasonable charges paid in either case, if brought home.

Peter Graham.

April 9

Mandeville & Larnour, offer for sale.

60 hhds whiskey
50 barrels do
80 barrels Northern rum
15 puncheons West India do
20 hhds. New-Orleans and Muscovado sugars
50 bbis. do do do do
10 hhds. New-Orleans Molasses
24 boxes brown Havanna sugar
220 bags green coffee
15 casks Goshen cheese
20 boxes
10 half do } Chocolate, No. 1 & 2
252 lbs. Flotant and Bengal indigo
20 kegs ground ginger
500 almonds
50 nutmegs
10 boxes Windsor and Rose soap
1000 bushels blown salt
1000 do. ground alum do.
Imperial, hyson, young hyson and souchoing teas, refined sugars and general assortment of wines liquors and groceries as usual.

April 5

Notice.

Ranaway from the subscriber in Corn wall's Neck, a negro woman named Phillis, formerly the cook and market woman of Captain Richard Stonestreet, of Broad Creek—I have heard she wishes to get to Philadelphia. I will give One Hundred Dollars if taken in or about Philadelphia; Twenty five if taken in or about Baltimore, and Fifty Dollars if taken in Alexandria or neighborhood, and secured in any jail so that I get her a gain. I heard lately that she was seen in Washington with her free husband, who calls himself William Adams.

Joseph N. Stonestreet.

February 23

HOUSES, LANDS, &c.

TO RENT,

The house and premises now occupied by the subscriber, pleasantly situated in Water street, will make a delightful summer residence, and is calculated to accommodate a large family. The occupant being about leaving the country, would rent the above situation until the first of October next at a low rate. For terms, apply to Messrs. Lawason & Fewle, or to

WM. CRABTREE, Jr.
March 28 Im

To Rent,

The Two Story Brick Dwelling House on Prince street, with Stable, Carriage House, &c. lately occupied by Mr. Alexander Sangster, now in good repair. Possession given immediately.

Apply to
Mary Fletcher.
March 31 2aw2w

For Sale.

The subscriber will sell the House and Lot on Fairfax-street he at present occupies. Whoever wishes to purchase, will of course view the property.

WM. HARPER, Jun.
april 2

FOR SALE,

A tract of Land containing 357 acres, more or less, lying on Occoquan Bay in the county of Fairfax and state of Virginia, adjoining the lands of Robert I. Thompson and William Mason. It is presumed those desirous of purchasing will view the land and for themselves judge of its peculiar advantages. One third of the purchase money will be required in hand, the balance at 12, & 18 months, with a deed of trust to secure the payments.

Thompson F. Mason.
December 14.

Public Sale.

The subscriber's three story Brick House on Cameron street, opposite the market house and near to the Bank of Alexandria, heretofore advertised, (for particulars see our paper under date of 7th February last) will be offered at public sale on the premises

On Tuesday 15th April next, at 10 o'clock Terms a credit of four years for 3000 dollars, secured with interest on the property for the remainder, one half will be required in hand, and the balance in approved endorsed notes payable with interest at three, six, nine and twelve months the property being liable until paid.

Any person wishing to view the premises, or who would prefer purchasing at private sale, can have an opportunity of doing so on fair and liberal terms previous to the day of sale.

WM. DUNLAP.
March 28

Public Sale,

On MONDAY, 14th April.

BY virtue of a decree of the high court of chancery of the state of Maryland, the subscriber will sell at public sale, in Port Tobacco, on MONDAY, the 14th day of April next, if fair, if not the next fair day thereafter—Part of two Tracts or parcels of Land, called

Hansonten and Barnes's Purchases—the property of Richard Barnes, Jun. deceased, containing about 130 acres, lying in Charles County, within 3 miles of Port Tobacco, which affords a good market for wood, with which a large proportion of this land is covered, the soil is well adapted to the growth of corn, wheat and tobacco. A further description is deemed unnecessary, as those wishing to purchase will no doubt view the premises before the day of sale. The terms are, a credit of twelve months, with interest from the day of sale, the purchaser giving bond with approved security.

JOHN BARNES, Trustee.
March 29 2awts

Joseph Spear,

Respectfully informs his friends and customers that he has removed from his old stand to King street, between Patrick and Alfred streets, opposite to Mr. Isaac Galt; where he has on hand a quantity of

Cabinet Furniture

Of the newest fashions, and made by the best workmen, which he will sell very low. He is thankful for past favors and solicits a continuance of the public patronage.

april 2 If

Wood for Sale,

On the subscribers wharf, and of which he expects a further supply of Oak, Hickory & Pine, which will be sold at the Market price, and carts provided to carry a large or small quantity to any part of the town.

ISAAC ENTWISLE.
March 29 dlm

A Brick-moulder & Off-bearer TO HIRE.

I wish to hire for the ensuing season, a Brick-moulder and an Off-bearer, whom I can recommend to be steady and good hands. No person need apply without being willing to give Fifty Dollars per month for the moulder, and Twenty Dollars per month for the Off-bearer—the subscriber finding them, and their wages paid weekly.

Belitha Lewis, dSw
March 28

Piano Fortes.

The subscriber has just received an elegant upright cabinet Piano Forte, on a new construction, of very superior tone, and warranted to stand well in tune—has additional keys and two pedals, one to raise the dampers, the other removes the finger board, so that the hammers strike but one string, by which means it may be made as Piano as necessary.

ON HAND,
four square Pianos, with additional keys; some of them pronounced by judges to be of excellent quality.

R. GRAY.
March 28

QUIGLY'S

Burr Mill Stone Manufactory.
THE subscriber has received a large supply of BURR BLOCKS direct from France, and has commenced making Burr Mill Stones, at his shop, upper end of King street, near the store of Mr. James Anderson, where he can on a short notice, furnish Stones of any size, warranted equal to any in the United States and on the most reasonable terms.

Michael Quigly.
april 6 If

HORACE FIELD.

HAS just received at his Iron Store, Union street, a quantity of Plough Plates of good quality, which now makes his assortment of Bar Iron complete.

He has also received
A few tons of STEEL, which he can recommend to be the best ever brought to Alexandria or any other place—no comments are wanting—the proof of the Steel will speak for itself—Blacksmiths in particular will find it their interest to work this steel. Country merchants, and others will find it an object to keep it for sale.

He has on hand, as usual,
A general assortment of Nails, Brads and Sprigs of his own manufacturing—they are of superior quality—which he will sell at the Baltimore prices. Enquire at the Factory.

Hoop Iron of all sizes. Likewise a general assortment of Locks, Hinges, and a number of other articles in the building line, which will be sold on reasonable terms.

april 5 eo6t
SALT.
4000 bushels dry, clean Cadiz Salt, on board the ship Diana at our wharf, for sale in lots to suit purchasers for the fisheries.

John and Thomas Vowell.
IN STORE,
Malaga Wine in qr casks, and a few bales Cotton.
april 7 eo3t

Prime quality Sugars.

The Cargo of the British brig Aeolus, Captain Balb, from St. Lucia, will be landed on our wharf to-morrow the 8th instant, and is offered for sale on accommodating terms.

John & Thomas Vowell.

The said brig will take a few hundred barrels flour & bread on reight to Barbadoes, to be despatched early.—Apply as above.
april 8 tuthst

John W. Massie and Co.
Have just received at their Hardware Store on King street, next door to Roberts and Allen—

A quantity of Plough Plates and Swedish tire iron—also, an assortment of bench and moulding planes of a superior quality; Waldron's cradling and grass scythes, spades and shovels; broad hoes; best N. Scotia grind-stones; iron trace chains; trying pans; flax-gilt, mahogany and maple frame looking-glasses; mill, cross cut, pit & hand saws; Crowley and Swedish steel English & American blisters do; together with a general assortment of Goods in their line—all of which they will sell on good terms.—They expect daily a few bushels of CLOVER SEED.
april 8 tuthstf

Dissolution of Partnership.

The partnership heretofore existing under the firm of RIDDLE and HILL, was by mutual consent dissolved on the 18th instant.

James R. Riddle,

Will continue to carry on business at the same Stand, and will settle all claims on the concern. Those indebted will please make payment to either of the subscribers.

James R. Riddle,
Joseph B. Hill.
March 24 2aw3w

Hannon & Bradley,

Cabinet Makers.

Respectfully inform their friends and the public, that they have commenced the above business in all its various branches, at the stand lately occupied by James Harris at the corner of King and Patrick streets, where all orders in their line will be thankfully received and promptly executed.

They trust that by strict attention to, together with the quality of their work, they will be enabled to give general satisfaction to all those who may please favour them with their custom.

N. B. Old furniture repaired at the shortest notice.
March 6

Furniture, Hats, etc.

SAMUEL WARD.

Has just received by schooner Planet, from Portland, and Native from Boston, an extensive variety of

Goods in his line,

Among which are the following—
4 secretaries and book cases
18 bureaus, different prices
21 bedsteads do do
42 tables, from 5 to 40 dollars each
1 elegant dressing table, 60 dollars
5 portable desks
200 chairs, from 9s to 18s
3 side boards
12 waggons and harness, from 70, 75 to 80 dollars
13 cases hats, from 15 to 39 shillings
An assortment of gentlemen's and ladies' shoes and booties
Grass mats, trunks, etc.
Axes, of different kinds, adzes
Few barrels excellent beets, at 15s per barrel
Hall's patent rifles and pistols
Few cases coarse hats, at 6s.
All of which are offered for sale at the lower end of Prince street, on the most reasonable terms.
april 1 2aw2w

WHISKEY.

2,000 gallons whiskey, excellent quality
4 pipes Holland gin
Cogniac brandy
10 hogheads N. F. rum
Mould and dipt candles
Best quality butter in firkins
Prime and cargo pork
Cadiz and St. Ubes salt
Albany seed oats, etc.
For sale by
JOHN RUMNEY.
april 3 eo5t

NOTICE.

The Farmers' Bank of Alexandria this day declared a dividend of profits upon its capital stock paid in, of four per cent. for the last six months, payable to the stockholders or their representatives, on the third instant.

John Hooff, Cashier.
april 1 2aw2w

Fire Insurance.

The Columbian Insurance Company of Alexandria, continue to insure buildings, furniture, merchandise and other property, from loss by fire. The conditions and terms, may be learned upon application at their office, next door to the City Hotel, and will be found as moderate & equitable as those of any other company.

The rates of premium are calculated in reference to the actual risk of property, and are as low as 25 cents per 100 dollars per annum for hazards of the best description, increasing proportionably for risks of a more hazardous nature. Insurances may be made for one or more years, or shorter periods.
Columbian Insurance Office, Feb. 20, d2wlatf
Feb 20

NOTICE.

The subscribers have, by mutual consent, this day dissolved the copartnership heretofore existing between them, under the firm of James Fleming & Co. Samuel B. Larmour, alone, is duly authorized to receive all debts due to the copartners and to give discharges for the same, and to whom those who have demands thereupon will please to present their claims.

Joseph Mandeville.
Saml. B. Larmour.
James Fleming.
March 29

Sales at Auction.

On Wednesdays and Saturdays, WILL BE OFFERED,
At the Auction Office on Union street, Between King and Prince—

An extensive and general assortment of seasonable Goods, of British, French, German, India, and Domestic Manufacture, which will be well selected, and well worthy the attention of town and country merchants and others; as the undersigned will be abundantly supplied from the manufacturers and their friends in Boston, New York and Philadelphia—which will give to gentlemen an opportunity of laying in their goods on as good terms as they can be in those cities, taking into view the difference of Exchange, etc. etc.

The particular description of goods will be advertised in the papers of the day.
Consignments strictly attended to and liberal advances made if desirable.

John Jackson & Co.
Auctioneers.
November 27

SALES AT VENDUE:

In every Tuesday and Friday, WILL BE SOLD,

At the Vendue Store, corner of Prince and Water Streets,
A VARIETY OF
Dry Goods, Groceries, &c.

Particulars of which will be expressed in the bills of the day.

All kind of goods which are on hand, and the prices of which are established, can at any time be viewed and purchased at the lowest limitation and prices.

P. G. MARSTELLER.

Stationary and Printing for Congress.

PURSUANT to resolutions of the Congress of the United States, approved March 3, 1813, and March 3, 1817, we will receive, until sun-set of the 13th day of April next, proposals in writing, sealed and addressed to us jointly, with the nature of the communication endorsed, for supplying the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States with the necessary stationary, and executing the public printing for the respective Houses during the 15th Congress. The description of stationary and printing wanted are hereto subjoined.

STATIONARY.

Parchments of a good quality, cut to 32 by 28 inches, completely dressed and pounced for use—per dozen.
Super royal writing paper
records—best
Royal do for do
Medium do for engrossing
Best American, wove, hot—per ream.
pressed folio post
Do quarto post, gilt edged
Laid cap, No. 1.
Cartridge paper
Pens, ready made from prepared quills per hundred.

Best red wax
black do
red wafers
black sand
hempen twine } per pound.

Inks, clear glass, plated tops
Sands, to correspond with the inks
Stone jugs, with corks, half pint
Wafer boxes, t n, large } per doz.
Black lead pencils, best, large size

Ivory folders, common
Office tape, of good quality
Colored taste: per piece.
Best quality black ink: per gallon.
Best quality red ink, in phials of about half pint; per dozen.

250 penknives per session, (sterling cost from 24 to 30 shillings per dozen) Propose your advance upon the sterling cost.

The supply of these articles must embrace a possible demand to the amount of twenty thousand dollars for the Congress, in which sum security will be required; and the proposal must be accompanied with the name or names of the security or securities for the performance of the contract. It is desirable also, that specimens of the parchment, various kinds of paper, pens, folders, wafers, wax, tape and taste, should accompany the proposals.

PRINTING.

The Journal of the Senate in royal octavo form, the size of the pages to be the same as those of the text of the late edition of the laws of the United States, (that of Bioren, Duane & Weightman); on a good small pica type, single leaded, on good royal printing paper, using three columns on a page where the years and days occur: Per half sheet of eight pages, 900 copies.

Ditto of the House, except leading the lines, per half sheet of eight pages, 900 copies.

Reports, messages and other documents ordered to be printed by the Senate or House of Representatives, in the form, size of page, and on the type and paper required for the journals, including such tables, whether of rule, or rule and figure work, as can, with the use of a small type, [no less than brevier, close work] be compressed into that form and size, per half sheet of eight pages, quarter sheet of four pages, eighth of two pages, 600 copies.

Bills, and amendments to bills, of both houses, plain open work, number of lines prefixed, on a good type, English size, on common cap, and where any bill or amendment will fill such page, the size of the page to be 29 m's wide, and 54 long, including head and foot lines—per sheet and half sheet, 400 copies.

Bills having passed the house and ordered to be printed by the senate, as the bills, per sheet and half sheet, 50 copies.

Such rule work as cannot conveniently be compressed into the octavo form, as described for printing the reports, messages &c. and such as may be specially ordered by either house, to be printed in such form as will admit of folding into the octavo volume; per cap broadside, 600 copies.

Do, per medium broadside, 600 copies.
Such rule and figure work as cannot conveniently be compressed into the octavo form aforesaid, and such as may be specially ordered by either house, per cap broadside, 600 copies.

Do, per medium broadside 600 copies.
List of yeas and nays for the senate, on cap, four lists on a sheet: per quire.
Do, for the house, on folio post, two forms on a sheet: per quire.

Heading each skin of parchment for both houses, on a suitable type, with these words "fifteenth congress of the United States,"

"At the first session,
"Begun and held in the city of Washington, in the district of Columbia, on Monday the first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventeen.
"An act
"Be it enacted by the Senate and house of Representatives of the United States of America in congress assembled, That"

Folding and stitching folio, where necessary: per hundred
Do octavo, do per hundred.

In every instance the printer supplies the paper, and deposits the work, duly folded, and stitched where necessary, and no possible delay is to occur in the daily execution and delivery of the work, so that in all cases where it is practicable, the matter ordered to be printed on any given day, may be ready for delivery next morning at the hour to which the house so ordering the printing of the adjourned, except in the printing of the annual report made from any of the departments, under any permanent act requiring such reports, in which cases 48 hours longer will be allowed.

The proposal must specify the rate of decrease in the price of printing any number of impressions greater than the usual number, and not exceeding 5000.

Title pages will not be indulged, except expressly ordered, nor will any extra allowance be made for working on Sundays, holidays or after night.

The contractor or contractors must embrace a possible amount of work during the congress equal to \$40,000, in which amount security will be required.

Proposals must be accompanied with the name or names of the security or securities offered; no offer of any additional security, after the proposals are opened, will be attended to.

CHAS. CUTLER,
Secretary of the Senate.

THOS. DOUGHERTY,
Clerk of the house of Representatives.

Washington, March 18—24 eo3w

Just Published,

And for sale by the Subscribers,
[Price \$1—]

LETTERS

Written on board the Northumberland, M. W. and at St. Helena:

IN WHICH
The Conduct & Conversations of

Napoleon Bonaparte

And his Suite during the Voyage and the first months of his Residence in that Island, are faithfully described and related.

By WILLIAM WARDEN, Surgeon on board.
James Kennedy & Son,
april 1 eo2w

Subscriptions

TO THE
Edinburgh and Quarterly Reviews.

North American ditto
The Portico
Walsh's American Register,

AND THE
Analectic Magazine,
Are received by

James Kennedy & Son,
AGENTS.
March 29 eo1

Just Published,

And for sale by the Subscribers,
[Price \$4 50—]

A course of Legal Study, respectfully addressed to the Students of Law in the United States.

By David Hoffman,
Professor of Law in the University of Maryland.

James Kennedy and Son.
april 1 eo2w

ALMANACS,

English and German,
For the Year

1817,

Wholesale and Retail—for sale by
James Kennedy & Son
October 18 d

The Paradise of Coquettes,

A POEM, in nine Parts.
A second edition of this elegant Poem is just published and for sale by the Subscribers.

The character of this Poem is thus given by the Quarterly and Edinburgh Reviewers:—

The Paradise of Coquettes;

The character in which the poet professes to speak, is that of the POET OF WOMAN. He is supposed to be addressing woman, and woman only, and addressing her, on adventures of which she is the heroine, and on charms and graces, which it is the whole history of her beauty to have exercised with failure or success.

His incontestable merits, and the assiduous care which he has bestowed upon the poem, deserve the warmest praise.

Quarterly Review, Oct. 1814.

We have here a little volume which may be fairly regarded as a prodigy in this age of quarto ballads, romances, heroics, and sentimental simplicity. It is by far the best and most brilliant imitation of Pope, that has appeared since the time of that great writer; with all his point, polish, and nicely-balanced versification, as well as his sarcasm and witty malice. He is always at home—always lively and entertaining.

His satire is polished and yet pungent.
His versification, in particular, is almost invariably flowing & harmonious.

Edinburgh Review, Feb. 1815.

"A vein of polite irony runs through the 'Paradise of Coquettes' which was familiar to the writers of the age of Anne and George the First, but has been discarded in making other modern improvements, by our contemporaries."

James Kennedy & Son.
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